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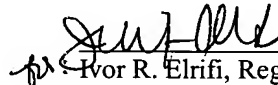
Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Preliminary Amendment (5 pgs);
2. Return Postcard.

Although we believe that no fees are required in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 19141-546 DIV3 CON2). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as set forth below and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Conclusion** begin on page 5 of this paper.